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THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1890.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE. 4th District—SPIER WHITAKER, of Wake.
5th District—R. W. Winston, of Granville.
6th District—E. T. BOYKIN, of Sampson.
7th District—James D. McIver, of Moore.

FOR SOLICITOR.

3rd District—Jno. E. Woodard, of Wilson.
4th District—E. W. Pou, Jr., of Johnston.
5th District—E. S. Parker, of Alamance.
6th District—O. H. ALLEN, of Lenoir.
7th District—Frank McNeill, of Rich-9th District-W. W. BARBER, of Wilkes.

FOR CONGRESS. 5th District .- A. H. A. WILLIAMS, of Gran-

DEM. STATE CONVENTION.

Raleigh, Wednesday, August 20th. DEM. CONG. CONVENTIONS.

1st District, Elizabeth City, Aug. 12 3rd District, Clinton, July 23rd. 4th District, Durham, July 24th.

6th District, Laurinburg, July 29th 7th District, Salisbury, August 1st. 8th District, Lenoir, Aug. 28th.

DEM. JUDICIAL CONVENTIONS.

1st District at Edenton, July 29th. 2nd District at Weldon, July 23rd. 8th District at Lexington, July 31st. 10th District, Morganton, July 31st.
11th District, Lincolnton, Aug. 14th. 12th District, Bryson City, July 24th.

The CHRONICLE desires to furnish a correct list of all Conventions to be held in the State, and will thank its friends to help us.

THE QUALITIES OF A GOOD JUDGE.

The people are now called upon to select Superior and Supreme Court Judges for the State. This is the most important, the most far-reaching in its effects of all the public offices to be filled. At this time our mind is led to the recital which was made by RUFUS CHOATE in the Massachusettes Constitutional Convention of 1853 of the qualities which should distinguish a "good Judge:"

"In the first place, he should be profoundly learned in all the learning of the law and he must know how to use that learning."

"In the next place, he must be a man, not merely upright, not merely honest and well-intentioned—this of course but a man who will not respect persons in judgment."

"And finally, he must posess the per fect confidence of the community, that he bear not the sword in vain." Learned,

Impartial,

Honored. ought to have who is elevated to the the association.

Mr. BLAINE speaks the unvarnished truth when he says that the McKinley tariff bill won't open a market for "another bushel of wheat or another barrel of pork," and he shows that under our restrictive tax policy "our foreign market for breadstuffs grows narrower."

That is the Republican policy. The Democrats want a wider market for our "breadstuffs," and markets for many "bushels of wheat and barrels of pork."

THE Baltimore Sun declares that SEN-ATOR VANCE is the Democratic leader in Tariff debate in the Senate. He and MR. CARLISLE are confessedly the best posted men on the Tariff question on the Democratic side in the Senate.

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

Granville county convention August

"Uncle Baldy" Williams made a Masonic-Alliance speech in Granville last week. "Uncle Baldy" is rich, but he will "get there."

Butherford county instructed for Gen. R. B. Vance, for Congress; and for the nomination of Chief Justice Merrimon and Associate Justice Clark. It was an enthusiastic convention.

In the Orangeville Republican conven-tion the negroes made the white men take a back seat. 'Twas the same way in Guilford. "Twas ever thus." The whites wanted Amis for Congress and the negroes wanted Brower. The negroes won.

A friend of Randleman writes: "Rev. J. R. Scroggs, of Randleman, N. C., has been appointed Presiding Elder of Trinity District to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rev. P. F. W. Stamev. While the church mourns the loss of Mr. Stamey, it rejoices to know that his mantle has fallen upon one so worthy to wear it. Mr. Scroggs is an able divinepossesses fine executive ability and doubtless will reflect credit upon the po-sition to which he has been promoted."

EDITORS IN COUNCIL.

[Editorial Correspondence.]

DURHAM, N. C., July 23 .- Writing to Col. E. Carrington, in 1787, the greatest statesman America has produced-THOMAS JEFFERSON, said: "Were it left me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers, or a newspaper without government, I should not hesitate to prefer the latter." Certainly there could be no government of the people, by the people, and for the people, if we did not have a free and an untrammeled press. It is the bulwark of government, and through it the people are kept informed upon all public questions, and enabled to make up their opinions.

So far as the North Carolina press is concerned, it is not necessary for me at this time to give my estimate of its in tegrity, its ability, and its devotion to the interests of the people of the State. Taken as a whole, there is no class of men in North Carolina who are more patriotic, more useful, or more useful to North Carolina than its editors. No men work harder with less compensation, and no men are more deserving of the confidence and esteem of the people of the State. I know that most people appreciate the labors of the editors, and will take an interest in whatever concerns the betterment of the press.

One month ago I attended the annual Convention of the National Editorial Association in Boston, and since then I have received probably one thousand newspapers from every State in the union. This has given me an opportunity I never enjoyed before of comparing the North Carolina papers with the papers of the other States. The comparison has been much more favorable than would generally be supposed. And not only so, but this comparason has shown me that the weekly papers in North Carolina are incomparably superior to those of any other State in the Union. This is not only true as to the ability displayed in the editorial columns, and the vigor and freshness of contributions, but also in typographical make up. The improvement in North Carolina papers has been most marked in the past few years. Quite a number of brainy young men have entered upon journalism as a profession in the past few years, and they are devoting themselves to the work con AMORE. One of the draw-backs to journalism in the past is that the renumeration has been so small that the ablest men have devoted their talents to other callings, and too many papers have been edited by men who had first failed at other callings. But that condition is

medicine, or the ministry. The editors here are a genial, able, progressive set of young men; (a few are old in years but all young in heart and hope.) They are being royally entertained by the generous and hospitable people of Durham, and the big pot has literally been put in the little one.

changing, and journalism is quite as

much of a profession now as law, or

PRESIDENT MoDIARMID called the Convention to order and REV. DR. E. A YATES, D. D., pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, Durham, offered an appropriate prayer.

There was a general regret at the absence of Mr. J. B. SHERRILL, Secretary, who is detained at home by protracted illness. The regrets of the Convention were telegraphed to Mrs. J. B. Sherrill. MR. THAD R. MANNING, editor of the Gold Leaf, was elected to act as Secre-

COL. JOHN D. CAMERON Was unani-All these are the qualities which a man | mously elected an honorary member of

> A letter was read from PRESIDENT E. W. Stephens, President of the National Editorial Association, regretting his inability to be present. In Boston he promised me to attend this session of our Convention and deliver an address to the North Cazolina editors. I know that he desires to come, and all our him a cordial welcome. He is a bright, genial and brainv Missourian, and one of the old-fashioned Democrats of that State.

> P. W. Vaughn & Co. sent a letter to the association tendering to the editors the courtesy of their soda fountain. This invitation was accepted with thanks. Much preliminary business was trans-

At 2 p. m., this afternoon, President McDAIRMID delivered his annual address, and Mr. JEROME DOWD read a paper giving an interesting sketch of tary and treasurer. President Crowell Berne Journal, and Mr. J. J. BRUNER, of the Salisbury Watchman. The following is the programme for

the week : Wednesday. 8:30 P. M.-Public meeting at Stokes

Hall. Address of welcome and response. Oration by Robert Haydn, editor of the Charlotte Chronicle. 10 P. M. - Banquet at Hotel Claiborn.

Thursday. 9 A. M.—Business meeting. 2:30 P. M.—Business meeting. 8:30 P. M. - Concert at Stokes Hall. Friday.

9 A. M.-Take Durham & Northern train at Hotel Claiborn to visit factories and other places of interest. 1 P. M. - Take train at Richmond and Danville depot for Barbecue at Bennett place. Return at 5 P. M.

8:30 P. M.-Business meeting.

Saturday. 9 A. M.-Laying corner-stones of the American Tobacco Company's storage warehouse and Commonwealth Manufacturing Company's cotton factory.

call, when President McDiarmid called his work.

the Convention to order, shortly after ten o'clock :

Robesonian; D. J. WICHARD, editor Greenville Reflector; T. R. Manning, editor of the Henderson Gold Leaf; T. B. ELDRIDGE, Durham Globe; E. E. HARPER, New Berne Journal J. A. THOMAS, Louisburg Times JEROME DOWD, Charlotte Times; Jo-SEPHUS DANIELS, Raleigh STATE CHRON-ICLE; H. T. KING, Tarboro Banner; W. W. SCOTT, editor Lenoir Topic; W. K. JACOBSON, Washington Progress; G. W. BLOUNT, editor Wilson Mirror; COL. JOHN D. CAMERON, an honorary member of the Association; E E. HILLIARD, Scotland Neck Democrat; J. A. Paris, editor LaGrange Spectator; P. C. Enniss, Raleigh Southern Farmer; W. E. Mur-CHISON, editor Jonesboro Leader; G. W. McKenzie, editor Troy Vidette; E. L. Hedrick, editor Taylorsville Index; B. F. TIPTON, editor Mount Holly News; A. Roscower, Goldsboro Headlight; H. C. WALL, Rockingham Rocket; J. A. ROBINSON, Durham Sun; E. C. HACK-NEY, Durham Recorder; A. HATCHETT, Henderson Tomahawk; J. B. CRAIGMILES, Murphy Advance; H. A. London, Chat ham Record; and perhaps others. Del egates are expected on every train, and fully seventy five will be in attendance to-morrow.

There is a welcome in the air here, and in the hearts of the people. The great Blackwell Durham Tobacco Co. have their mammoth concern decorated with flags, and the word "welcome" in letters two yards wide.

The editors are having a great time in the great town. I have always bet on Durham dirt, Durkam grit and Durham people. I'll bet on them now more than

MONTGOMERY IS FOR VANCE.

And also for Henderson -- A Satisfactory County Ticket -- Some Statements Which Need Correction.

(Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.) TROY, N. C., July 22.—The convention was fairly well attended, and a county ticket was unanimously nominated, giving entire satisfaction. W. R. Harris, clerk of the Superior court, the only Democratic county officer, was renominated; J. P. Levit, for sheriff; G. N. Scarboro, for register; J. T. Wade, surveyor; and Dr. A. C. Boyles, coroner. C. R. Watkins, a prosperous Pee Dee

Delegates to the Congressional convention were instructed to vote for Hon. John S. Henderson; to the Judicial con vention, for Hon M. S. Robbins, of

farmer and Allianceman for House of

Members of the legislature were instructed to vote for the return of Vance, "North Carolina's greatest statesman, to his seat in the Senate.

R. I. Rush, President of the Farmers' County Alliance opposed Vance, and Henderson because of the repeal of the power to support the Sub Treasury scheme, and the latter for refusing to sign the card of Democrats. I. F. Haywood, an influential and good citizen, declared he would support no man who refused to sign, and it was suggested that he should withdraw from the Convention. He afterwards had his name put in for the list of delegates to the Judicial and Congressional conventions. The statement was made that the course of Southern men was bold and decided at Washington against the sub-Treasury scheme, but was denied. This "lie" should be shown up.

It was also stated that Vance had gone back on his promises to the Alli ance. These statements are doing much harm and should be set aright.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

The Headlight says that the people of Goldsboro will furnish refreshments to the editors as they pass through to Morehead on Saturday. Goldsboro is always clever to the editors.

The Henderson people voted, by 417 for to 37 against, to appropriate \$40,to build the Atlantic and Western railroad from Henderson, to go to Nash county. It will traverse a fine country.

The families of the farmers of Pleasant Grove township, Union county, are said to be in terror over the presence of an outlaw in that section, who makes his home in the woods, and steals hogs, chickens, etc. Some of the more ignorant call him "a wild man."

Mr. A. G. Finch, of Wilson county, writes: "Tobacco, cotton, corn and everything else is as good as could be asked for. My crop of tobacco, fifteen acres, is as good or better than any I ever saw. It is from four and a half to North Carolina editors would have given | six and a half feet high, and has as good leaf as I ever saw, and still continues to grow. I will commence to cut and cure the first of August. A good many are curing now with fine success.

The teachers of Western North Carolina have organized a Western North Carolina Teachers' Chatauqua with the following officers: Dr. R. H. Lewis, president of Judson College, Hendersonville, president; Messrs. H. L. King, of Buncombe, R. A. Sentell, county superintendent of Haywood county, and Prof. J. U. Gibbs, county superintendent of Swain county, vice-presidents; and Prof. R. L. Madison, principal of Cullohee high school, Jackson county, secthe lives of Mr. H. S. Nunn, of the New and Maj. E. G. Harrell were present and made addresses.

HOMICIDE IN CHATHAM.

[Special to State Chronicle.)

PITTSBORO, N. O., July 21 .- On last Saturday evening, Mr. C. M. Hardin, a white mechanic of this place shot and killed a negro man named Alex Moore. Hardin immediately after the shooting left town, but came back that night and was sent to jail. This morning the case came up before Judge Womack on a writ of HABEAS CORPUS. Hardin was in his shop at work, the negro came in and for profane insolent language, was driven from the shop. In about ten minutes Hardin discovered Moore approaching the shop door. Hardin ordered him not to come any nearer, Moore gathered a rock in each hand, Hardin reached back and seized his gun and fired, he standing in the door and the negro with the rocks in his hands a few steps from the door. The load struck the negro in the breast and neck, he staggered off a few lectures. steps and fell dead. Judge Womack 12 M. - Take train for Morehead City. admitted Hardin to bail. The bail bond The following editors answered to roll | was given and Hardin has gone back to

VANCE ENDORSED.

W. W. McDiarmid, editor Lumberton | The Proceedings of the County Convention at Troy.

Mr. J. W. McKenzie, editor of the Troy Vidette passed through yesterday en route to the convention and tells us that at the Montgomery county convention held on Monday resolutions were adopted instructing the nominees for the Senate and House to vote for Zebulon B. Vance for the U. S. Senate. Instructions were given for Henderson for Congress; Marmaduke Robins for Judge and B. F. Long for Solicitor.

The following county ticket was nomi-For the House-C. R. Watkins, of

Edinboro. For Sheriff-J. P. Leach. For Clerk-W. R. Harris.

For Register-G. N. Scarboro. Mr. Watkins, the nominee for the House, is splendid farmer, good solid man and an enthusiastic Vance supporter.

A correspondent of the Voice, writing from San Francisco to that paper, says that the work of the eloquent Grady has evidently fallen upon the shoulders of Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr.



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